# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE
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Emission of Green House Gases
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**Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether any study has been made to find out the extent of emission of green house gases due to the use of domestic refrigerators and air conditioners and if so, the details thereof;
(b) the likely trend in this regard during the next five years; and
(c) the efforts being made to ensure use of energy efficient appliances to get both savings on power bills and less emission of green house gases?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of answer at (a) above.

(c) Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE) has launched star labelling program for room air conditioners, frost free refrigerators and direct cool refrigerators. The star labelling for appliances will help in reduction of energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions reduction. Mandatory labelling standards for air conditioners and frost free refrigerators have been made more stringent with effect from 1st January, 2014.

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